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Anniversary Esthetique!

Boku wo Tsutsumu Tsuki no Hikari

Embraced by the moonlight

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One day in the wonderful world of the Esthetique Realm, a single brave soul approached our admins with the most horrible news ever...

Whisper Whisper Whisper

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Huh?

Katana Admin

FROZEN

Boss? Did you hear me?

WOBBLE

Oh, crap!

Katana-sama! Are you OK?

BONK!

What could've been so bad as to render all of our admins totally unconcious?

SNAP!

Was it a worldwide shortage of manga? Did shoujo manga cease to exist?

Oh, no! It was something much more sinister...

STAFF SHORT-AGES!

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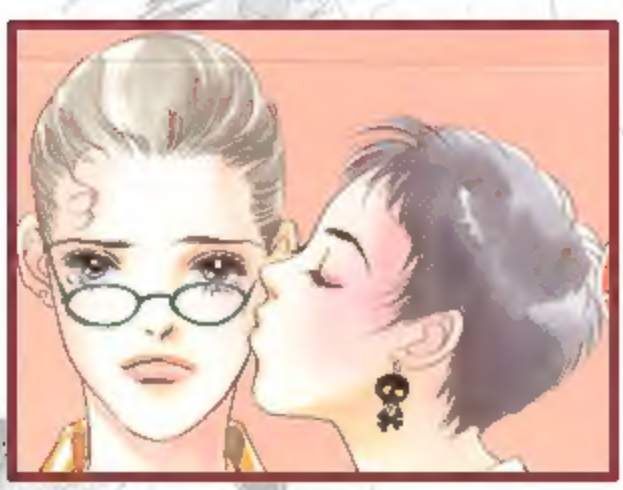

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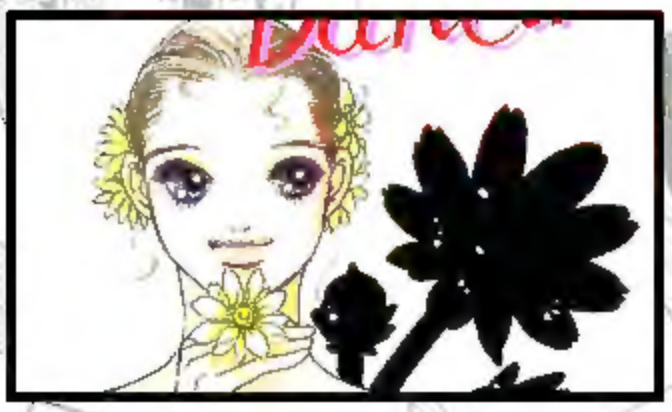

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Chapter 77 Interlude

Star Bound #2

...UH...

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NEBU

B

¼ Column Babbles

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AT THIS POINT, IT'S HARD TO TELL IF THAT SCRIPT WILL EVER BE INCLUDED IN THE PRINTED VOLUMES.

SORRY FOR ONLY MAKING AN ANNOUNCEMENT HERE.

IT WOULD BE NICE IF IT COULD BE INCLUDED IN VOLUME 16...

THERE'S A LOT GOING ON THIS YEAR WHAT WITH HANA TO YUME'S 40TH ANNIVERSARY!

Congratulations!

S-SO ANYWAY... Congratulations on turning 40, Hana to Yume!!

JULY 8, 2014

THE END.
SAKI HIWATARI

REN,

RIN'S FROZEN UP... WHAT DO I DO...?

DAD, WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH YOU...?!

D...

GASPS

COME ON, DAD!!

...
SORRY.

—AH...

YOU KNOW THOSE MOMENTS WHERE YOU SUD-DENLY SEE THE LIGHT?

Like, BAM!

IT'S LIKE THAT...

I'M OKAY...

JUST... JUST NOW—

...

IT JUST HIT ME THAT YOU HADN'T BEEN THE ONE RUNNING—

IT JUST HIT ME...

... ANYWAY.

AND I'VE ONLY JUST REALIZED THAT.....

IT HAD BEEN ME...

SINCE I WAS A KID, I NEVER..

—EVER..

. THAT I COULD MAKE YOU SMILE.

HAD ANY CONFIDENCE...

AND IT ALWAYS HURT TO USE YOUR PAINFUL PAST

AS A PLATFORM TO JUST MAKE MYSELF HAPPIER AND HAPPIER

I ALWAYS WANTED TO SAY

I'M SORRY...

I APOLOGIZE

I APOLOGIZE BECAUSE

I GET THE FEELING THAT I HAVE ALWAYS

I'M SORRY, I'M SORRY, I'M SORRY, I'M SORRY...

...OR...

BEEN RUNNING AWAY FROM YOU...

THERE'S NO REASON

TO APOLOGIZE FOR BEING HAPPY, IS THERE...?!

DON'T BE SO STUPID

...THEN...

WHY... WOULD YOU HAVE SAID YOU'D DISAPPEAR..?

IF IT'S VEXING, THEN YOU CAN'T LET ANYONE CATCH YOU BEING UNHAPPY... ISN'T THAT RIGHT?

I HAD ALWAYS WATCHED YOU

BEING TORMENTED BY MY MEMORIES...

EVER SINCE YOU WERE A KID, AND EVEN NOW

CAUSING TROUBLE FOR YOUR PARENTS AND YOUR FRIENDS

AND MAKING ALICE SUFFER THE MOST.

IF IT WAS BECAUSE I EXISTED WITHIN YOU

THAT YOU HAD TO BE SO MISERABLE

THEN WHY?!

I'D DISAPPEAR ANYTIME...

I WAS RUNNING AWAY SO THAT I COULD JUST MAKE MYSELF HAPPY

AND THAT'S RIGHT!

THAT THERE'S NOTHING WRONG WITH BEING HAPPY.

YOU JUST SAID IT YOURSELF

SO I HAD TO MAKE SURE I WAS EVEN HAPPIER.. RIGHT?

BECAUSE IF I WERE TO BE MISERABLE, I WOULDN'T BE ABLE TO MAKE YOU HAPPY.

I MAY HAVE HAD TO PUT UP WITH YOUR MEMORIES WHEN I WAS KID,

BUT

MY DAYS WITH YOU

ARE A SHINING TREASURE.

WHAT COULD BE UNHAPPY ABOUT THEM?

I DON'T KNOW WHAT TO THINK. AM I UNHAPPY?

AND

I KNOW THAT I'VE ALWAYS BEEN HAPPY, SINCE A LONG TIME AGO.

I THINK I'M HAPPY.

THAT'S BECAUSE—

I'M PROUD OF YOU!!!

BLA

—AHH...

IT'S...

...BEAUTIFUL...

...HOW STRANGE.

...WHY AM I CRYING...?

...AAHH...

I GET IT.

IT'S BECAUSE

THIS IS A NICE PLACE TO BE.

LIKE A HOME TO RETURN TO, ISN'T IT?

...DON'T...

YOU

WEREN'T JUST THINKING THAT YOU'VE GOT NO REGRETS LEFT OR SOMETHING, WERE YOU?

I'M NOT GOING TO LISTEN TO YOU PRATTLING ON LIKE THAT,

YOU IDIOT!!

SNAP OUT OF IT!!

DON'T DISAPPEAR, STUPID!

DON'T WORRY

I'LL NEVER LEAVE YOU AGAIN.
RIN.
I CAN SWEAR THAT TO YOU RIGHT HERE.

I WILL
LOVE MOKUREN
AND ALICE

AND I WILL
LOVE, PROTECT,
AND CHERISH
THE CHILDREN.

TO THAT EFFECT,
I WILL PROVIDE
YOU SUPPORT

WITH MY
TOTAL POWER
AND BEING.

I, ZAI TESS
SHI ON,

WILL ONCE
AGAIN DEEPEN
MY SYNCHRONIZA-
TION WITH YOU

AND BECOME
A PART OF YOU.

WITH YOU,

WE'LL LIVE TOGETHER

AND WE'LL BECOME EVEN HAPPIER TOGETHER.

THIS, I NOW SOLEMNLY SWEAR BEFORE THE EARTH.

—THAT...

YOU DON'T HAVE TO CRY

Ha!

Unh

PANTS

...SHOULD BE OBVI-OUS!!!

BLACK

NEBULA
University

whoosh...

...HM?

WHAT?!

RUSTLE

RUSTLE

WHEN DID THOSE GET THERE?!

...GASPS

...AH...!

BLAC

HURRY!!

BLACK

...SHION...!!

woah woah

?

NOT HERE, THERE!!

BEHIND YOU!!

HURRY!!

RUN!!

GO REALLY FAST!!!

Whoosh